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Application No.: 09/784,121

Group Art Unit: 1761

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For: ENCAPSULATED FLAVOR AND/OR  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS  
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application (hereinafter the "Notice") mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 21, 2001 in connection with the above-captioned application, Applicants submit herewith the following documents:

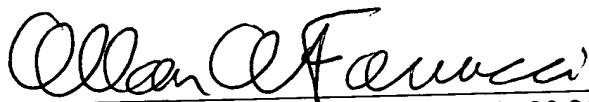
- (1) Executed Declaration with copy of application;
- (2) Copy of Notice;
- (3) Executed Power of Attorney;
- (4) Executed Assignment with  
Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet;
- (5) Information Disclosure Statement with  
PTO 1449, Copies of 7 References; and
- (6) Request for Correction of Filing Receipt.

In accordance with the Notice, the surcharge for late filing of the declaration is estimated to be \$130.00. Please charge the required fees to WINSTON & STRAWN Deposit Account No. **501-814**. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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**REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT**

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Sir:

A filing receipt for the above-identified application has been received and the following corrections are respectfully requested:

1. Please insert the addresses of the inventors to read:  

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2. Please change Attorney Docket No. to read --81455-464--.

A copy of the filing receipt with the requested changes noted thereon is attached, along with a copy of the inventors' declaration in support thereof.

Also, please associate this application with Customer Number 28765.

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